

NASSAU COUNTY AQUATIC CENTER

Facility Rules/Guidelines for teams/participants

General Facility rules:

- Meet Marshals shall have full authority to warn or order to cease and desist, and, with the concurrence of the Referee, to remove, or have removed from the swimming venue anyone behaving in an unsafe manner or using profane or abusive language, or whose actions are disrupting the orderly conduct of the meet.
- No food or beverages are permitted on pool deck or locker room. Sports drinks and water are allowed. Food and/or beverages are permitted in designated areas – the lower level lobby, lower level rooms, upper level lobby and upper level hallway.
- All debris should be discarded in receptacles.
- Anything posted on walls must be posted using colored painters tape. *No other kind of tape can be used at all.*
- Nothing can be posted on any windows anywhere in the facility
- No balloons are permitted in facility
- It's the swim club's responsibility to provide adequate adult supervision of all team members throughout the facility, including locker rooms.

Use of pool rules

- Event participants and coaches are not permitted in the locker rooms or pool deck until 15 minutes prior to the meet start/warm-up time (start time listed on permit) or a specified practice time.
- Sitting or hanging on lane lines or safety ropes is prohibited.
- Only certain areas of the pool will be reserved for an event. Participants are restricted only to the reserved pool space. You should ask the meet director for clarification on what space is reserved.
- Swim teams are not permitted on the dive boards and/or dive platform tower.
- Bulkheads (start/turn ends): Maximum load per bulkhead is 50 people. 2 or 3 bulkheads together will allow 70 people.

Athlete Seating:

- Team seating should be assigned by the meet director in advance of arrival.
- There is no team seating outside the pool edge extended at both the dive pool end and the shallow pool end.
- No outside folding chairs/seating are permitted on the pool deck.
- Teams/athletes are not permitted to bring in portable music systems unless used with headphones
- Teams/athletes shall not obstruct any exits with equipment and/or athletes
- No team banners can be erected unless they are self-standing; use magnetic hooks or temporarily hang in approved locations. They cannot be attached to any walls/windows or bleachers.

Food Vendors/Catering:

- Events and its participating teams or individuals must use the food service company specified by the facility. Events and its participating teams (or individuals) are not permitted to bring in any outside catering companies, food or beverages into the facility. "Donated" food and beverages are not permitted.

Parking:

- There is no parking on any grassy areas at all. Illegally parked cars are subject to ticketing and/or towing.

At the discretion of the facility manager, we reserve the right to prevent any particular swim team or individual from using the facility for any current or future event(s). Violations of rules/guidelines would be grounds for such action.

These rules/guidelines are included in all event permits. The permittee (meet organizer) has agreed to the terms of these rules/guidelines. Additional requirements/restrictions may be included in the event permit.

***A waiver to certain rules/guidelines may be granted upon written request to the facility manager.
If a waiver to any of these rules has been granted, you will be notified in advance.***

Dated: 12/4/14